

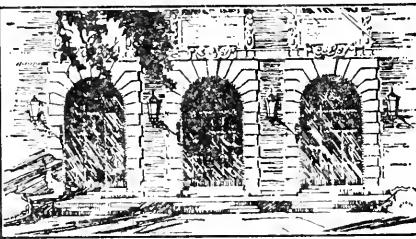
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OF CHICAGO



History of The Industrial Club of Chicago

From Its Organization in 1905

To Its Merger With

THE COMMERCIAL CLUB

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The Industrial Club of Chicago

GENESIS OF THE CLUB

IN the year 1905 the commercial and civic life of Chicago was responding to the quickening influence of "The Chicago Plan," to the advancement of which an organization known as The Merchants Club was pledged.

It was this spark which kindled, in the mind of Gustave F. Fischer, a desire to create a similar organization and arouse the interest of the younger generation, particularly those engaged in the industrial life of the city, to become active in similar civic undertakings.

The subject of creating such an organization was discussed informally by Mr. Fischer with Mr. Richard E. Schmidt and Mr. Philip W. Seipp. Both were favorably impressed with the project and lent their encouragement.

In discussing the best method of organizing such a club, it was decided to submit the plan to their associates who formerly constituted the Board of Directors of the Germania Maennerchor, the prominent German social organization at North Clark Street and Germania Place, of which society Mr. Fischer had been President. At the 1905 anniversary dinner of the Board of Directors of this society the project was presented and unanimously endorsed, and Mr. Fischer was instructed to proceed with the organization. Accordingly, the plan of organization

was worked out and the members of the old Board of Directors of the Germania Maennerchor became the charter members of the new organization. They were as follows:

William A. Birk	Walther R. Michaelis
Gustave F. Fischer	William H. Rehm
John George Graue	Richard E. Schmidt
Albert F. Madlener	Philip W. Seipp

The minutes of the first meeting of the organizers of the new club read as follows:

Minutes of meeting held June 1, 1905, at the Germania Maennerchor for the purpose of organizing a club on the lines of the Chicago Commercial Club and the Merchants Club by the younger element of Americans of German descent.

The following were requested to be present:

Gustave F. Fischer	J. George Graue
Wm. A. Birk	William H. Rehm
Richard E. Schmidt	Charles V. Wohlhueter
Albert F. Madlener	Edgar J. Uihlein
Walther R. Michaelis	Philip W. Seipp

of which the following were present:

Gustave F. Fischer	Wm. A. Birk
Albert F. Madlener	Walther R. Michaelis
Richard E. Schmidt	Philip W. Seipp

It was moved by Mr. Seipp and seconded by Mr. Birk that Gustave F. Fischer be appointed temporary chairman, which motion was carried.

Moved by Mr. Michaelis and seconded by Mr. Birk that Philip W. Seipp act as temporary secretary; motion carried.

Mr. Fischer read the Rules and By-Laws of both the Merchants Club and the Commercial Club, and the general idea of a club was discussed informally.

It was moved by Mr. Seipp and seconded by Mr. Schmidt that the club about to be organized should be called "The Industrial Club of Chicago." Motion carried.

6 It was moved by Mr. Seipp and seconded by Mr. Michaelis that

Mr. Fischer proceed with the necessary steps to obtain a charter for the Industrial Club of Chicago; motion carried.

It was moved by Mr. Birk and seconded by Mr. Madlener that the temporary preamble of the Club should be as follows: "The object of the Industrial Club of Chicago is to advance the public and industrial interests of the community by interchange of thought and association of its members." Carried.

Moved by Mr. Birk and seconded by Mr. Madlener that the directors of the organization shall be composed of nine members, from which membership they shall elect a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, the remaining five being on the Executive Committee; motion carried.

Moved by Mr. Seipp and seconded by Mr. Schmidt that a committee be appointed to present a constitution and set of By-Laws; motion carried. The Chair appointed Mr. Birk and Mr. Seipp and himself (it being the unanimous desire of those present that Mr. Fischer be on this committee) as members of this committee.

Moved by Mr. Michaelis and seconded by Mr. Madlener that a committee of membership be appointed, which motion was carried; the Chair appointed the following as committee: Messrs. Schmidt, Madlener and Michaelis.

There being no further business, it was moved by Mr. Michaelis the meeting be adjourned, seconded by Mr. Madlener, and carried.

PHILIP W. SEIPP,
Temporary Secretary.

The charter and object of the club having been agreed upon, securing name or title was the next matter of importance. The title, "Industrial," had been chosen, as on consulting the dictionary definition of this term it was deemed most comprehensive in defining the scope and character of the proposed organization.

An application for a charter for "The Industrial Club of Chicago" was forwarded to the Secretary of State of Illinois, only to be returned in due course because a charter for an "Industrial Club" had been issued several years before.

This was a surprise to the organizers as no such club was known to any of them. Research revealed that while there was such a club, it had not been active for a number of years and but two of its members were still living. These gentlemen made the necessary affidavits, and complied with the other necessary legal formulae, to the end that the Secretary of State might accept a surrender of their charter and issue a new charter to The Industrial Club of Chicago under date of October 2, 1905.

The Articles of Incorporation and the original By-Laws are given on the following pages. In connection with the latter, it might be pointed out that two membership classifications were provided for, Active and Associate, the intention being to limit the number of active members and, at the age of 55, transfer them to the Associate Class, thereby creating vacancies in the active membership for men of the younger generation, that the work of the organization might be carried on aggressively, yet without losing the counsel and cooperation of the older members.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

STATE OF ILLINOIS
DEPARTMENT OF STATE

JAMES A. ROSE, *Secretary of State*

To All to Whom These Presents Shall Come, Greeting:

WHEREAS, A certificate, duly signed and acknowledged, having been filed in the office of the Secretary of State, on the second day of October, A.D. 1905, for the organization of

THE INDUSTRIAL CLUB OF CHICAGO

8 under and in accordance with the provision of "An Act Concerning Corporations," approved April 18, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872,

and all acts amendatory thereof, a copy of which certificate is hereto attached,

Now, THEREFORE, I, James A. Rose, Secretary of State of the State of Illinois, by virtue of the powers and duties vested in me by law, do hereby certify that the said

THE INDUSTRIAL CLUB OF CHICAGO

is a legally organized Corporation under the laws of this State.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed the great Seal of State. Done at the City of Springfield this second day of October, A.D. 1905, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and thirtieth.

JAMES A. ROSE,
Secretary of State.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, }
COOK COUNTY. } ss.

To JAMES A. ROSE, *Secretary of State.*

We, the undersigned, Gustave F. Fischer, Philip W. Seipp, Albert F. Madlener, Walther R. Michaelis, John George Graue, Richard E. Schmidt, William H. Rehm, and William A. Birk, citizens of the United States, propose to form a corporation under an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, entitled "An Act Concerning Corporations," approved April 18, 1872, and all acts amendatory thereof; and for the purpose of such organization we hereby state as follows, to-wit:

1. The name of such corporation is

THE INDUSTRIAL CLUB OF CHICAGO

2. The object for which it is formed is to advance industrial and public interests through an association of professional and business men and a free interchange of views.

3. The management of the aforesaid Club shall be vested in a Board of Nine Directors, who are to be elected annually.

4. The following persons are hereby selected as the Directors to control and manage said Corporation for the first year of its corporate existence, viz.

Gustave F. Fischer, Philip W. Seipp, Albert F. Madlener, Walther R. Michaelis, Richard E. Schmidt, John George Graue, William H. Rehm, William A. Birk and Charles V. Wohlhueter.

5. The location is in the City of Chicago in the County of Cook in the State of Illinois, and the postoffice address of its business office is at Room 1626 First National Bank Building in the said City of Chicago.

Signed:

GUSTAVE F. FISCHER

PHILIP W. SEIPP

ALBERT F. MADLENER

WALTHER R. MICHAELIS

JOHN GEORGE GRAUE

RICHARD E. SCHMIDT

WILLIAM H. REHM

WILLIAM A. BIRK

STATE OF ILLINOIS, }
COUNTY OF COOK. } ss.

I, ELVA L. ABBOTT, a Notary Public in and for the County of Cook and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that on this sixteenth day of June, A.D. 1905, personally appeared before me Gustave F. Fischer, Philip W. Seipp, Albert F. Madlener, Walther R. Michaelis, John George Graue, Richard E. Schmidt, William H. Rehm, and William A. Birk, to me personally known to be the same persons who executed the foregoing certificate, and severally acknowledged that they had executed the same for the purpose therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year above written.



ELVA L. ABBOTT,
Notary Public.

Original By-Laws

ARTICLE I

OBJECT

The Industrial Club of Chicago is formed to advance industrial and public interests through an association of professional and business men and a free interchange of views.

ARTICLE II

MEMBERSHIP

SECTION 1. The Club shall consist of those by whom it was organized, and of such other members as shall be hereafter admitted, in accordance with its By-laws.

SEC. 2. The membership shall be classified into active, associate and non-resident members. The number of active members shall in no case exceed sixty, and no person over fifty years of age shall be eligible to active membership.

SEC. 3. Applications and recommendations for active membership shall be made to the Executive Committee in writing, and signed by not less than five active members. When a candidate for active membership is unanimously approved by the Executive Committee, it shall be the duty of the Secretary to send a printed ballot containing the name of such candidate to each active member of the Club. Each active member may thereupon vote upon the election of such candidate by writing "Yes" or "No"

opposite the name of such candidate and returning such ballot to the Secretary within two weeks from the date of such ballot. Two negative votes shall exclude the candidate.

SEC. 4. Every active member upon arriving at the age of fifty-five years, or whenever he shall in any way become unable to attend the meetings of the Club, may, with the unanimous consent of the Executive Committee, become an associate member.

SEC. 5. Whenever in the unanimous judgment of the Executive Committee, it shall be deemed necessary and to be to the interest of the Club to make room on its active membership list for one or more desirable applicants for admission, said Executive Committee may request and put upon the associate membership list one or more of its active members who may be over the age of fifty-five years, beginning with the eldest.

SEC. 6. Any active or associate member, who by removal from the city, shall cease to be a resident thereof, may, by a unanimous vote of the Executive Committee, become a non-resident member.

SEC. 7. In the admission of members, due regard shall be had, so far as practicable, to the branch of business in which they are engaged, so that the various industries of the city shall be fairly represented in the Club.

SEC. 8. Whenever, in the judgment of a majority of the Executive Committee, determined by a vote at any of its regular meetings, any member shall be deemed to have disgraced himself, or it shall be held that his further continued membership would disgrace the Club, said Executive Committee may expel such member.

ARTICLE III

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

SECTION 1. The officers of the Club shall consist of a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary and a Treasurer and five Directors, who shall be elected at the regular annual meeting in April in each year, and shall hold office until their respective successors are elected. The officers and board of directors shall constitute the Executive Committee, in whom shall be vested the government and management of the Club.

SEC. 2. A nominating committee of five active members, shall be selected at the regular meeting of the Club in March of each year, and it shall be the duty of this committee to prepare a list of candidates for the respective offices and directors of the Club, and cause the same to be mailed, by the Secretary, to each member entitled to vote, at least two weeks before the meeting at which the annual election shall be held.

SEC. 3. Any ten or more active members may nominate other candidates for the same office or offices; provided, however, that such nomination shall be made in writing, and signed by the members making them, and filed with the Secretary; provided, further, that such nominations are made and copies thereof mailed, by the Secretary to each member entitled to vote, at least five days prior to such annual election.

SEC. 4. Any vacancy occurring in the Executive Committee, for any reason whatever, may be filled by the remaining members thereof. The person so appointed shall hold office until the next annual meeting, or until his successor is elected.

ARTICLE IV

MEETINGS

SECTION 1. The regular meetings of the Club shall be held on the Third Thursday of each month, from November to April, inclusive. The Executive Committee shall have authority to change the day whenever it deems it advisable to do so, and shall at all times designate the place of meeting.

SEC. 2. Any member may, with permission of the Executive Committee, invite one guest to attend each meeting of the Club, but no guest shall be present on the invitation of the same member on more than two occasions during any one Club year, except by special invitation of the Club itself.

SEC. 3. Absence by any active member from three successive regular meetings of the Club, without satisfactory explanation, shall be considered as a withdrawal from the Club, and the name of such member may be stricken from the membership roll by the Executive Committee.

SEC. 4. Meetings of the Club shall take precedence of all social engagements, and whenever any active member is unable to attend any regular meeting of the Club, he shall send his reasons for not attending, in writing, to the Secretary, in ample time to reach him on the morning of the day on which such regular meeting is to be held.

ARTICLE V

INITIATION FEES, DUES AND FINES

SECTION 1. An initiation fee of Twenty-five Dollars shall be paid by each person upon admission to membership.

14 SEC. 2. The annual dues of active members shall be

Forty Dollars, payable upon admission to membership and at the beginning of each year. The fiscal year shall end with the regular meeting in April.

SEC. 3. Any active member who shall fail to give a reason satisfactory to the Executive Committee, for his non-attendance at any regular meeting, shall be fined the sum of Five Dollars.

SEC. 4. Associate and non-resident members shall have the same privileges and duties as an active member, but shall not be entitled to vote at any election, nor be eligible for office, and shall be exempt from the payment of dues and fines, other than such assessments as the Executive Committee may levy for any regular or special meeting of the Club actually attended by an associate or non-resident member or for any such meeting that he has expressed an intention of attending.

SEC. 5. Any member may be dropped from the membership roll for non-payment of initiation fees, dues, fines or assessments by the Executive Committee, whenever, in its discretion, such member has had ample notice and time within which to pay the same.

ARTICLE VI

AMENDMENTS

These By-laws may be altered or amended by a two-thirds vote of the members present at any meeting of the Club, provided notice of the proposed alteration or amendment shall be given at a previous regular meeting of the Club, and a copy thereof mailed by the Secretary to each member of the Club at least two weeks before such meeting.

The First Year, 1905-1906

As has already been recorded, The Industrial Club of Chicago was officially incorporated on October 2, 1905. The following officers and directors were elected:

OFFICERS

GUSTAVE F. FISCHER, PRESIDENT

WILLIAM H. REHM, VICE-PRESIDENT

ALBERT F. MADLENER, TREASURER

WALTHER R. MICHAELIS, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

JOHN GEORGE GRAUE RICHARD E. SCHMIDT

CHARLES V. WOHLHUETER

THE first year of the Club's existence was devoted largely to the selection of its membership. Many informal meetings were held at which policies were discussed and new members were introduced. It was a period fruitful in new friendships, which have endured down to the present among those who have survived. That little group of early members became imbued with the spirit of civic service and laid the foundation, that first year, for a Club to the influence of which Chicago came to owe much in the years which followed.

Membership was both a pleasure and a privilege from the first.

To relate in detail the story of The Industrial Club's twenty-eight years of useful service to Chicago would indeed be an ambitious undertaking, scarcely justifying the labor involved in its preparation or the time required for its reading. Instead, this modest volume has been prepared, in compliance with a resolution adopted by the members at the last Wilson Dinner, to preserve in a single volume a brief outline of the outstanding events and developments making up the Club's history. In the pages which follow a year-to-year history will be presented, in capsule form, with the names of the officers and directors for the year. An occasional digression will be made to amplify the story of some special project.

The Second Year, 1906-1907

OFFICERS

GUSTAVE F. FISCHER, PRESIDENT

WILLIAM H. REHM, VICE-PRESIDENT

GUY V. DICKINSON, TREASURER

GEORGE H. HIGH, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

HARRY B. CLOW JAMES KEELEY

GEORGE E. MARCY ALBERT F. MADLENER

WALTHER R. MICHAELIS

THE second year started with a membership personnel that assured the future success of the Club, and with a definite program of civic betterment.

The work of improving the Jury service in Cook County was the first major undertaking. Thousands of citizens—business men, professional men, laborers, labor leaders, judges, lawyers, politicians, and men engaged and versed in jury duty—were circularized and interviewed, and a thorough canvass of opinion in connection with this important civic duty was made.

The members of the Club pledged themselves to jury service and agreed to compel, so far as possible, like

service by the thousands of their employees. The first objective was to make it possible to have a time fixed for service by the individual when it would least interfere with his business, or his daily endeavor of making a living for himself and his family. A comprehensive study of facts and experiences, and of jury laws in this country and England, resulted in the drafting of a new "Jury Commissioners Act" applicable to Cook County. To anticipate, efforts were made at each session of the Illinois State Legislature thereafter, but not until twenty-five years later, in 1931, was the objective realized.

The Club, in the meantime, secured some improvement in (a) the care of jurors while on duty; (b) the treatment of jurors by Judges and Bailiffs; (c) sanitary conditions of jury retiring rooms. For a time periodicals were furnished by the Club for use in jurors' waiting rooms.

Much criticism had been made because of the character of hotels selected for the housing of juries sitting on Criminal cases, and food supplied by such hotels. To meet this condition and supply a remedy, through the efforts of our member, Mr. Edward J. Brundage, who was the President of the Cook County Board of Commissioners, the entire sixth floor of the old Criminal Court Building, at Dearborn and Michigan Streets, was remodeled with suitable rooms for the housing of these juries at night. Comfortable furniture, clean beds, sanitary lavatory and toilet facilities were installed, and all protection for the jurors and safeguards against tampering with the jury were provided for. One of the most

memorable meetings of the Club was on the night when these rooms were opened to public inspection and dedicated.

Portable ovens were installed in the basement of the building by Kinsley, who was engaged as the caterer, and as good a dinner as any prepared in a fully equipped kitchen was served.

To anticipate again, these rooms were finally discarded by a subsequent administration, but the information acquired by the Jury Service Committee of the Club was applied in designing and laying out the Jury building assigned to the housing of juries in the present new Criminal Court Building.

The formal dinners of the Club began in its second year.

The first dinner meeting was held on January 19th, 1907, when, appropriately, its first undertaking, "A Better Jury Service" was discussed. Hon. Albert C. Barnes presented the views of the Judiciary, Hon. John Barton Payne those of the lawyer, and Mr. Charles H. Wacker those of the business man.

The second was held on April 4th, 1907, when the subject of "Industrial Insurance" was discussed by Governor Charles S. Deneen, Mr. Herman A. Schumacher, University of Bonn, Germany, and Mr. Edward T. Bent, Illinois Coal Operators' Mutual Employers' Liability Insurance Co. This meeting was of particular interest because of the pending legislation, which resulted in the enactment of the original Workmen's Compensation Act in June, 1911.

On February 22, 1907, Professor Starr of the University of Chicago, gave an illustrated talk on his trip to Africa, at a closed dinner. A series of lantern slides of the members, in caricature, by Mr. John T. McCutcheon with appropriate verses on each member by Mr. Angus S. Hibbard was an interesting feature at the final meeting at the close of the second year.

Other closed meetings during the year were held

November 24, 1906:

<i>English Jury Service</i>	JUDGE MARCUS KAVANAGH
<i>Better Jury Service</i>	MR. MASON B. STARRING

December 10, 1906:

<i>Industrial Insurance</i>	PROFESSOR HENDERSON
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The golf outings of the Club, which later proved to be of great interest and pleasure, and became a regular feature, were started in the summer of 1907. A "Gabel Frühstück" at the Germania preceded the first tournament, held at Exmoor Country Club.

The honors of the tournament were won by the following:

Champion, GUY V. DICKINSON

President's Cup, JOHN H. WOOD

Club Trophy, JAMES R. BAKER

The Third Year, 1907-1908

OFFICERS

GEORGE M. REYNOLDS, PRESIDENT

GEORGE P. RINN, VICE-PRESIDENT

RANDOLPH ORTMANN, SECRETARY

WILLIAM F. JUERGENS, TREASURER

DIRECTORS

HARRY I. MILLER FREDERICK H. RAWSON

JOHN H. WOOD WILLIAM H. REHM

GUSTAVE F. FISCHER

WITH the work in jury reform well started, during its third year the members turned their attention to a variety of other subjects, local, national and international, the breadth and scope of which are reflected in the subjects for addresses on the following dates by men of a calibre which only a club with the standing of The Industrial Club of Chicago could command as its speakers:

August 8, 1907:

Proposed Legislation MR. HARRISON B. RILEY

November 7, 1907:

Parcels Post . . . POSTMASTER GENERAL GEORGE VON L. MEYER **23**

January 21, 1908:

The Hague Conferences . . . HONORABLE JACOB M. DICKINSON

April 16, 1908:

Benefits of the Re-naming and Re-numbering of Streets in Chicago

MR. JOHN J. RILEY, Map Department of Chicago

COLONEL L. D. STEWART, Post Office Delivery Department

It might be added in passing that the last mentioned address dealt with the street numbering and naming system now in effect in Chicago, to which project the Club was glad to give its active cooperation.

The Annual Golf Tournament was held at Glen View Club, and the honors were won by:

Champion, EDWARD R. HEISSLER

President's Cup, HARRY J. POWERS

Club Trophy, HARRISON B. RILEY

The Fourth Year, 1908-1909

OFFICERS

MASON B. STARRING, PRESIDENT

HARRY A. WHEELER, VICE-PRESIDENT

HENRY BENEKE, TREASURER

HARRY H. LOBDELL, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

WILLIAM A. GARDNER GUSTAVE F. FISCHER

ANGUS S. HIBBARD EDWARD J. BRUNDAGE

WILLIAM H. REHM

THE fourth year of the Club's history was an eventful one, marking real progress in the matter of jury reform, for on November 28, 1908, the jury rooms in the Criminal Court Building were dedicated.

At the four regular meetings of the Club membership during the year, the following programs were carried out:

October 15, 1908:

Continuation Schools

MR. E. G. COOLEY, Superintendent of City Schools

November 28, 1908:

Jury Rooms in Criminal Court Building

HON. HARRY OLSON, Chief Justice of the Municipal Court of
Chicago

MR. GUSTAVE F. FISCHER

MR. EDWARD J. BRUNDAGE

MR. WILLIAM BUSSE

MR. WILLIAM A. AMBERG

January 15, 1909:

The Consular Service

HONORABLE JAMES BROWN SCOTT

MR. EDWARD J. BRUNDAGE

February 12, 1909:

One Hundredth Anniversary of the Birth of Abraham Lincoln

HONORABLE JACOB M. DICKINSON

GENERAL SMITH D. ATKINS

GENERAL FREDERICK DENT GRANT

As a result of the meeting on January 15, 1909, legislation for a Consular School, to train men for the business side of our Foreign Relations, similarly as men were trained at West Point and Annapolis, was proposed by the Club, and a bill was introduced in Congress by Hon. Frank O. Lowden. Although the Legislation failed of passage, the movement had a marked effect upon improving the Consular Service.

The meeting commemorating the "One Hundredth Anniversary of the Birth of Abraham Lincoln," on February 12, 1909, was an outstanding event in the history of the Club. Hon. Jacob M. Dickinson delivered the main address. He was asked to perform this service because, as a lad of fifteen, he was a soldier in the Armies of the South, and it seemed that no more fitting tribute to the memory of our great President could be rendered than

by the delivery of the memorial address by a man who, with all his family and friends, had been arrayed against the North. At this memorable meeting Mason B. Starring presided; at his left, at the President's table, sat Prof. Woodrow Wilson, then President of Princeton; at Mr. Dickinson's right sat General Frederick Dent Grant, son of the great General of the Civil War. A goblet used by Mr. Lincoln at the White House was used in proposing a silent toast to his memory.

The Annual Golf Tournament was held at Lake Geneva Country Club, and the honors were won by:

Champion, WARD W. WILLITS

President's Cup, JAMES R. BAKER

Club Trophy, GEORGE P. RINN

Another Golf Tournament was held during the 1909 season at Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, at which the Club Trophies were won by Hon. William J. Calhoun, George E. Marcy and Carl Schuttler.

The Fifth Year, 1909-1910

OFFICERS

HARRY A. WHEELER, PRESIDENT

SILAS H. STRAWN, VICE-PRESIDENT

JOHN F. GILCHRIST, SECRETARY

WILLIAM A. BIRK, TREASURER

DIRECTORS

HARRY H. LOBDELL

RICHARD C. HALL

LOUIS MOHR

HARRISON B. RILEY

WARD W. WILLITS

THE Club's fifth year was marked by action which resulted in a more sane celebration of Independence Day, as it has since come to be celebrated.

On May 5, 1909, a luncheon was given to the Peace Conference Delegates, Wu Ting Fang and Count von Bernstorff, and other guests from the Peace Conference.

On December 16, 1909, a dinner was given in honor of Hon. William J. Calhoun, who favored the Club with an address, "The Industrial Club of Chicago—Its Place in the Community."

Other meetings held during the year, with their subjects and speakers, were:

August 26, 1909:

Sane Celebration of Independence Day, PROFESSOR F. W. SHEPARDSON

November 11, 1909:

Sane Celebration of Independence Day . MR. MASON B. STARRING

November 18, 1909:

Consular Bill MR. SILAS H. STRAWN

Consular Schools MR. MARVIN B. POOL

Revision of Illinois Law Respecting Taxation and Special Assessments

MR. HARRISON B. RILEY

January 20, 1910:

Federal Corporation Law

MR. FREDERICK H. RAWSON

MR. HARRISON B. RILEY

MR. GEORGE M. REYNOLDS

February 17, 1910:

Federal Control of Corporations . HONORABLE CHARLES NAGEL

March 17, 1910:

Taxation MR. HARRISON B. RILEY

April 21, 1910:

The University of Illinois and Its Significance for the Commonwealth

HONORABLE EDMUND J. JAMES, President of the University of Illinois

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Midlothian Country Club, and the honors were won by:

Champion, SILAS H. STRAWN

President's Cup, WILLIAM A. GARDNER

Club Trophy, GEORGE H. HIGH

The Sixth Year, 1910-1911

OFFICERS

WILLIAM A. GARDNER, PRESIDENT

HARRISON B. RILEY, VICE-PRESIDENT

HUGH MCBIRNEY JOHNSTON, SECRETARY

CARL SCHUTTLER, TREASURER

DIRECTORS

MARVIN B. POOL EDWARD M. SKINNER

FREDERICK BODE WILLIAM V. KELLEY

JOHN F. GILCHRIST

WITH the matter of jury service reform established as a definite part of the Club's program, and showing definite progress, during the sixth year an intensive study was undertaken of a number of important subjects, as reflected in the subjects of the five meetings held during the year:

November 26, 1910:

City Government by Commission

HONORABLE LAFAYETTE YOUNG, United States Senator from Iowa

30 January 4, 1911:
 Jury Service HONORABLE ALBERT C. BARNES

January 31, 1911:

Tax Problem MR. JOHN P. WILSON

March 23, 1911:

Impending Currency Legislation . . . MR. GEORGE M. REYNOLDS

April 25, 1911:

Subways MR. BION J. ARNOLD

It began to emerge during this administration that the policy of the Club would be to take up one reform or civic project at a time, study it, take such action as it could; then, as other problems and projects came along, take them up one at a time, while continuing to foster the projects already under way. In this fashion it had already developed considerable influence in the community.

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Lake Geneva Country Club, and the honors were won by:

Champion, WARD W. WILLITS

President's Cup, HARRY B. CLOW

Club Trophies, GUSTAVE F. FISCHER

GEORGE P. RINN

The Seventh Year, 1911-1912

OFFICERS

WILLIAM H. REHM, PRESIDENT

FREDERICK BODE, VICE-PRESIDENT

JAMES R. BAKER, TREASURER

CHARLES E. ROLLINS, JR., SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

EDWARD J. BRUNDAGE HOWARD G. HETZLER

FRANK C. LETTS FREDERICK H. RAWSON

RICHARD E. SCHMIDT

DURING its seventh year the Club launched an attack on the Salary Loan Shark and proposed the organization of a State Industrial Wage Loan Society. The activities during this administration were largely of a publicity nature, but they led up to the developments which will be recorded in later pages.

Again the schedule of meetings and addresses will serve to indicate the character and scope of the problems in which the Club was interesting itself:

August 17, 1911:

Anti-Loan Shark MR. MARVIN B. POOL

October 14, 1911:

The Tariff, The Evil of Schedule K

HONORABLE OSCAR W. UNDERWOOD, Chairman of Ways and Means Committee of the House of Representatives

November 24, 1911:

Proposed State Industrial Wage Loan Society

MR. RUDOLPH MATZ and MR. GUY M. BLAKE of The Legal Aid Society

January 26, 1912:

Foreign Municipal Services . . . MR. WILLIAM HUDSON HARPER

February 23, 1912:

Modern Industrial Development

HONORABLE MARTIN W. LITTLETON

April 18, 1912:

Amended Jury Commissioners Act

MR. HARRY RUBENS

MR. ALEXANDER F. REICHMANN

HONORABLE ALBERT C. BARNES

It is worthy of note that the officers of the Club never permitted interest to lag in the jury reform project to which it had set its hand.

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Minneahda Country Club, Minneapolis, and the honors were won by:

Champion, GUY V. DICKINSON

President's Cup, FREDERICK BODE

Club Trophy, THOMAS E. WILSON

The Eighth Year, 1912-1913

OFFICERS

FREDERICK BODE, PRESIDENT

FREDERICK H. RAWSON, VICE-PRESIDENT

EDWARD M. SKINNER, TREASURER

W. RUFUS ABBOTT, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

HARRY H. LOBDELL THOMAS E. WILSON

GEORGE E. MARCY EDWARD R. HEISSLER

FRANK C. CALDWELL

THE eighth year marked increased activity in the campaign of publicity aimed at the Salary Loan Shark evil. The proposed bill for a State Industrial Wage Loan Society, which was sponsored by the Club, was given significance by making it the subject of a formal meeting. Mr. Rudolph Matz and Dr. Frank Gunsaulus were the speakers on this occasion.

During this year, also, an important meeting was held for the discussion of "Conservation of the Water Resources of the Country," with Mr. Hugh L. Cooper as guest of honor.

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Midlothian
Country Club, and the honors were won by:

Champion, GUY V. DICKINSON

President's Cup, GUSTAVE F. FISCHER

Club Trophies, W. RUFUS ABBOTT, THOMAS E. WILSON

The Ninth Year, 1913-1914

OFFICERS

MARVIN B. POOL, PRESIDENT

JOHN H. WOOD, VICE-PRESIDENT

FRANK C. CALDWELL, TREASURER

W. RUFUS ABBOTT, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

FREDERICK BODE D. F. KELLY

WILLIAM H. REHM GUSTAVE F. FISCHER

HENRY BENEKE

THIS year marked the fruition of much of the work of the Club's second major undertaking, the battle against the Salary Loan Shark.

Perhaps this is the appropriate place to digress from the chronological record of the Club's activities to comment briefly on this second reform activity. The task, ultimately achieved, of putting the loan shark out of business in Illinois, naturally fell into three phases.

First—Conducting an aggressive publicity campaign through press and public meetings during 1911 and 1912, convincing the employer that there were two sides to the question: that the way to cure the evil was not to dis-

charge the victims, and that the Small Loans business was a necessity which should be regulated, not ignored, and a substitute provided that would efface the loan shark.

Second—Activities of the Club's Remedial Loan and Legislative Committees in gathering information and statistics from all sources, studying legislation on the subject in other states, preparing bills to regulate the business, and keeping so closely in touch with the legislature at Springfield that they entered into the spirit of the work and were qualified to enact a proper Small Loans Law when the proper law was found.

After an intensive campaign at Springfield, the first bill for the regulation and control of the loan shark business was defeated in the Forty-seventh General Assembly, largely through the opposition of an effective loan shark lobby and the lack of knowledge and information on the subject available at that time to either legislators or the Club's legislative committee.

However, the Club's committee was at that time assured by the leaders in both Houses that they would support a bill creating a law that would permit The Industrial Club of Chicago to form an experimental "wage loan society" to demonstrate its theories and secure the facts on which to base future legislation on this subject. Furthermore, if this experiment should prove a success, they believed the legislature would then support and enact a bill to so regulate the small loans business through the State as effectually to remedy the evil.

Third—The formation within sixty days of the passage 37

of the enabling act of June 20, 1913, of the First State Industrial Wage Loan Society, with a paid up capital of \$93,300 subscribed exclusively by members of the Industrial Club of Chicago. To anticipate, it may be stated here that it was a success from the start and, based on the experience and facts thus obtained, the Fiftieth General Assembly, on June 14, 1917, enacted the following law that effectually killed the loan shark evil in Illinois:

Senate Bill No. 171, House Bill No. 431, The Wage Loan Bill (An Act to license and regulate the business of making loans in sums of \$300 or less secured or unsecured, at a greater rate of interest than 7 per cent per annum, prescribing the rate of interest and charge therefor and penalties for violation thereof, and regulating the assignment of wages or salaries earned or to be earned when given as security for any such loan).

Since the Wage Loan Bill became a law in 1917, there have been practically no violations and no complaints of outrageous loan shark practices with which the papers and courts had previously been filled. The Industrial Club of Chicago had accomplished its purpose and the job for which the First State Industrial Wage Loan Society was formed was completed.

After the officers and directors of the Society had worked untiringly for several years, and their object was attained, there seemed no reason why other companies operating under the new law should not supply the funds needed for this purpose. Because of this and other considerations, the directors welcomed a proposal to merge with the Chicago Morris Plan Bank which had recently been organized with a capital of \$1,000,000 and \$100,000 surplus (chartered as a state bank) to conduct a

business where small loans would be made to needy borrowers based on character and endorsed by two friends.

This new plan largely did away with the then common practice of giving wage assignments as collateral for small loans.

In the operation of the Chicago Morris Plan Bank the local management and stockholders were not in full sympathy with many of the policies of the Industrial Finance Corporation (The Morris Plan Holding Company of New York) which held a minority interest in the local company. This minority interest was purchased on May 28, 1929. The bank's business was moved to its present location on the second and third floors at 105 West Madison Street, corner of Clark, and the name was changed to the Personal Loan and Savings Bank.

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To resume the orderly course of narration of the Club's activities, the ninth year was a year of numerous meetings, carried out on the following schedule:

May 23, 1913:

China HONORABLE WILLIAM J. CALHOUN

September 25, 1913:

Owens-Glass Currency Bill

MR. HARRY A. WHEELER

MR. GEORGE M. REYNOLDS

November 6, 1913:

Loan and Chattel Mortgage Evil and Plans for Remedial Loan Legislation MR. ARTHUR H. HAM

December 5, 1913:

Problems and Work of the Committee of Fifteen on Social Evil in Chicago

MR. RUSH C. BUTLER

December 18, 1913:	
<i>Patriotism and Philanthropy</i>	MR. BIRD S. COLER
January 30, 1914:	
<i>International Congress Meeting, Paris, France, on the Regulation of Customs Rules</i>	MR. FREDERICK BODE
<i>Economics of Labor</i>	MR. FRANK C. CALDWELL
February 28, 1914:	
<i>The Philippines</i>	HON. JACOB M. DICKINSON
April 23, 1914:	
<i>A Sense of Proportion</i>	SECRETARY W. C. REDFIELD
The annual Golf Tournament was held at Lake Geneva Country Club, and the honors were won by:	
<i>Champion</i> , CHARLES PIEZ	
<i>President's Cup</i> , HUGH McBIRNEY JOHNSTON,	
<i>Club Trophies</i> , HOWARD ELTING, MARVIN B. POOL	

The Tenth Year, 1914-1915

OFFICERS

JOHN H. WOOD, PRESIDENT

RICHMOND DEAN, VICE-PRESIDENT

V. F. MASHEK, TREASURER

RICHARD E. SCHMIDT, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

MARVIN B. POOL FRANK C. CALDWELL

W. RUFUS ABBOTT DAVID ALLEN NOYES

RICHARD J. COLLINS

DURING the year that marked its entrance into its second decade, the Club raised its eyes, as it were, to the outside world.

Without relaxing in its practical activities in connection with the loan shark evil or jury reform, it devoted more and more of its formal meetings to international affairs, as the schedule of meetings discloses:

November 19, 1914:

Mexico : HONORABLE JOHN LIND

December 17, 1914:

Panama-Pacific International Exposition

CAPTAIN GODFREY L. CARDEN, of the U. S. Navy

- January 21, 1915:
Gathering Club members only
- February 18, 1915:
American Interests in the Far East . . DR. HARRY PRATT JUDSON
- April 29, 1915:
Trusts in International Commerce . HONORABLE JOSEPH E. DAVIES
The annual Golf Tournament was held at Lake Geneva Country Club, and the honors were won by:

Champion, CHARLES K. FOSTER
President's Cup, EDWARD M. SKINNER
Club Trophies, W. RUFUS ABBOTT
JAMES R. BAKER
JOHN H. WOOD
HOWARD ELTING
FRANK C. CALDWELL
WILLIAM V. KELLEY

The Eleventh Year, 1915-1916

OFFICERS

FRANK C. CALDWELL, PRESIDENT

W. RUFUS ABBOTT, VICE-PRESIDENT

ROBERT MCDUGAL, TREASURER

RICHARD E. SCHMIDT, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

JOHN H. WOOD HOWARD ELTING

JOSEPH M. CUDAHY V. F. MASHEK

FERRY W. LEACH

THE memorable event of the eleventh year of the Club's history was the visit of Hon. Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States, to Chicago, as the guest of the Club, on January 31, 1916. Those of the members who participated in perfecting the plans for the President's reception will recall the busy days at the offices of Rufus Abbott. Many perplexing and diplomatic questions had to be met and solved, in connection with the affair, and it may be set down to the credit of the Club that it succeeded in presenting to the President at the Chicago Auditorium a "hand-picked" yet thoroughly representative gathering of Chicago citizens.

It should be recorded in passing that President Caldwell of our Club, serving as presiding officer, made one of the shortest yet most fitting and impressive introductory addresses on record.

Two other formal meetings were held during this year, with addresses as follows:

November 18, 1915:

Two Economic Questions . . . HONORABLE MYRON T. HERRICK

January 27, 1916:

Preparations for Peace MR. WALTER L. FISHER

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Kansas City Country Club, and the honors were won by:

Champion, WARD W. WILLITS

President's Cup, ANGUS S. HIBBARD

Club Trophies, WILLIAM F. JUERGENS

F. C. LETTS

RICHARD J. COLLINS

GEORGE E. MARCY

The Twelfth Year, 1916-1917

OFFICERS

W. RUFUS ABBOTT, PRESIDENT

HOWARD ELTING, VICE-PRESIDENT

JOSEPH M. CUDAHY, TREASURER

RICHARD E. SCHMIDT, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

FRANK C. CALDWELL JOHN H. HARDIN

V. F. MASHEK CHARLES PIEZ

SILAS H. STRAWN

DURING its twelfth year much of the Club's executive energy and activity were devoted to reorganizing and operating the First State Industrial Wage Loan Society, which in itself was an undertaking of first magnitude.

However, during this administration the Club held four outstanding dinner meetings, with addresses on the following topics:

November 23, 1916:

Welcome Home

COLONEL J. B. SANBORN, First Infantry

COLONEL MILTON J. FOREMAN, First Cavalry

COLONEL J. GARRITY, Second Infantry, I. N. G.

February 26, 1917:

Some Difficulties and Opportunities of the Railroad Situation

HONORABLE WALKER D. HINES

March 15, 1917:

The Rockefeller Foundations . . . DR. GEORGE E. VINCENT

April 19, 1917:

Our Blundering Federal Public Building Policy

MR. CHARLES HARRIS WHITAKER

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Chicago
Golf Club, Wheaton, and the honors were won by:

Champion, SILAS H. STRAWN

President's Cup, SILAS H. STRAWN

Club Trophies, HORACE W. ARMSTRONG

FREDERICK BODE

GUY V. DICKINSON

WILLIAM F. JUERGENS

MARVIN B. POOL

PHILIP D. ARMOUR, III

The Thirteenth Year, 1917-1918

OFFICERS

THOMAS E. WILSON, PRESIDENT

RICHARD E. SCHMIDT, VICE-PRESIDENT

FRANK O. WETMORE, TREASURER

GEORGE A. RANNEY, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

CHARLES K. FOSTER CHARLES A. MUNROE

W. RUFUS ABBOTT CHARLES PIEZ

SILAS H. STRAWN

DURING this year the Club honored Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois with a formal banquet on February 21, 1918, at which many distinguished citizens of Chicago were present. It was an occasion calculated to weld the interests of the State and the City of Chicago.

Two other memorable gatherings were held during the year, as recorded in the annals of the Club:

November 15, 1917:

Russia and the Great War

DR. FRANK BILLINGS and MR. E. A. GUEST

April 11, 1918:

Financial Legislation HONORABLE REED SMOOT

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Chicago
Golf Club, Wheaton, and the honors were won by:

Champion, WARD W. WILLITS

President's Cup, WARD W. WILLITS

Club Trophies, CHARLES A. MUNROE

FRANK O. WETMORE

The Fourteenth Year, 1918-1919

OFFICERS

CHARLES H. MUNROE, PRESIDENT

RICHARD E. SCHMIDT, VICE-PRESIDENT

FRANK O. WETMORE, TREASURER

ROBERT W. STEWART, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

JOHN H. HARDIN D. F. KELLY

GEORGE A. RANNEY SILAS H. STRAWN

THOMAS E. WILSON

On April 23, 1919, during the fourteenth year of the Club's history, there occurred a departure from the Club's normal routine which, though not realized at the time, was prophetic. This departure was the first joint dinner of The Industrial Club and The Commercial Club.

The subject of the meeting was "The Merchant Marine," and the guests of honor and speakers were Captain Robert Dollar of San Francisco and Mr. Homer L. Ferguson of Newport News.

A noteworthy gathering of this year was the Dinner given on January 16, 1919, in honor of members who 49

devoted their time in the service of the Government to the winning of the War.

One other formal dinner was given during the year, on March 20, 1919, the subject being "The Four Parties to Industry," the speaker being Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King.

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Lake Geneva Country Club, and the honors were won by:

Champion, ROBERT F. CARR

President's Cup, HARRY B. CLOW

Club Trophies, EDWARD R. HEISSLER

WILLIAM F. JUERGENS

MARVIN B. POOL

ALBERT F. MADLENER

The Fifteenth Year, 1919-1920

OFFICERS

SILAS H. STRAWN, PRESIDENT

JAMES R. BAKER, VICE-PRESIDENT

J. B. McDUGAL, TREASURER

CHARLES K. FOSTER, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

WILLIAM F. JUERGENS CHARLES A. MUNROE

ROBERT J. THORNE GEORGE A. RANNEY

D. F. KELLY

THIS year marked the first "Wilson Dinner" at the Saddle and Sirloin Club. The members of The Industrial Club of Chicago will long remember these social "get-togethers" as the guests of Mr. Wilson, which were subsequently given by him annually and which added much to the friendships and the spirit of good fellowship which came to play so important a part in the lives of the Club's members.

On December 18, 1919, an important discussion was held by the Club on "The Condition of Unrest in the Community." Two other formal dinners were held during the year, as follows:

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January 31, 1920:

The Illinois Constitutional Convention

HONORABLE ORRIN N. CARTER

HONORABLE MORTON D. HULL

MR. FREDERICK R. DEYOUNG

March 26, 1920:

The Foreign Trade Outlook . HONORABLE EUGENE MEYER, JR.

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Lake Geneva Country Club, and the honors were won by:

Champion, WARD W. WILLITS

President's Cup, CHARLES A. MUNROE

Club Trophies, GEORGE A. RANNEY

JOHN W. O'LEARY

GUY V. DICKINSON

FREDERICK BODE

WARD W. WILLITS

The Sixteenth Year, 1920-1921

OFFICERS

ROBERT F. CARR, PRESIDENT

CHARLES K. FOSTER, VICE-PRESIDENT

GEORGE E. SCOTT, TREASURER

HOPEWELL L. ROGERS, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

SILAS H. STRAWN W. RUFUS ABBOTT

BRITTON I. BUDD ARCH W. SHAW

JOHN H. HARDIN

AT this time The Industrial Club of Chicago became interested in the University of Illinois. Dr. David Kinley, President of the University, addressed the members of the Club on the night of October 23, 1920. This was followed by an "Outing of Members" on October 30th, consisting of a visit to the University, at which time the members were escorted over the campus and through the various colleges by heads of the various departments of the University, and were subsequently entertained at the Illinois-Chicago Football Game. Visits to the Illinois Football Games continued annually for some years. Those participating 53

will remember them as real "Red Letter Days" in the history of the Club.

The outstanding effort of the Club during this year was in its program of helpfulness along the general subject of higher education. Another memorable event was the Dinner on December 11, 1920, when Dr. George E. Vincent addressed the members on "An Adventure in Public Health." He spoke on the work of Dr. Gorgas in clearing up yellow fever in the Canal Zone by the elimination of a particular type of mosquito that carries that infection. It was a most interesting evening.

Two other meetings of importance were held:

January 22, 1921: *The State's Responsibility for Industrial Justice*
HONORABLE HENRY J. ALLEN, Governor of Kansas

March 24, 1921: *Inside Facts of the Peace Conference*
MR. BERNARD M. BARUCH

This last mentioned meeting was of special interest owing to Mr. Baruch's position during the World War as Chairman of the War Industries Board, with which several of the Club's members were associated.

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, and the honors were won by:

Champion, WARD W. WILLITS
President's Cup, V. F. MASHEK
Club Trophies, JOSEPH C. BELDEN
JOHN H. WOOD
ROBERT McDUGAL
FRANK O. WETMORE
DAVID A. NOYES
HOWARD ELTING
V. F. MASHEK

The Seventeenth Year, 1921-1922

OFFICERS

ROBERT W. STEWART, PRESIDENT

JOHN H. HARDIN, VICE-PRESIDENT

ARCH W. SHAW, TREASURER

HOPEWELL L. ROGERS, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

CHARLES K. FOSTER GEORGE E. SCOTT

PHILIP D. ARMOUR, III ELMER T. STEVENS

ROBERT F. CARR

DURING this, its seventeenth year, a number of important meetings were held, several of them memorable in the Club's history. The list includes:

May 5, 1921:

Puritanism DR. EDWARD PARRET SHERMAN

December 1, 1921:

Dinner given by MR. THOMAS E. WILSON at Saddle and Sirloin Club. Guests were taken to Live Stock Exposition.

January 10, 1922:

Closed meeting at The Chicago Club

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January 26, 1922:

The Relationship of Government to Business

SENATOR WALTER E. EDGE

February 14, 1922:

Democracy and Individualism

SOLICITOR GENERAL JAMES M. BECK

March 29, 1922

The Probable Future of Interest Rates

PROFESSOR DAVID FRIDAY

April 20, 1922:

Tax Reform in Illinois and the Income Tax Law

PROFESSOR EDWIN R. A. SELIGMAN

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Lake Geneva Country Club, and the honors were won by:

Championship Trophy, GEORGE W. BLOSSOM, JR.

President's Cup, SILAS H. STRAWN

First Flight, CHARLES K. FOSTER

Second Flight, FRANK C. LETTS

Third Flight, ALBERT F. MADLENER

Foursome Event, SILAS H. STRAWN

GEORGE W. BLOSSOM, JR.

DOUGLAS R. STUART

FREDERICK H. SCOTT

The Eighteenth Year, 1922-1923

OFFICERS

JOHN H. HARDIN, PRESIDENT

RUSH C. BUTLER, VICE-PRESIDENT

EARLE H. REYNOLDS, TREASURER

FREDERICK H. SCOTT, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

ROBERT W. STEWART JOSEPH C. BELDEN

CHARLES K. FOSTER JOHN W. O'LEARY

GUSTAVUS F. SWIFT

A NOTABLE broadening of the subjects which were engaging the attention of the membership is revealed in the subjects of the addresses at the formal meetings held during this year, as recorded in the Club's annals:

October 19, 1922:

The Constitution of 1922. Why Not . . . MR. HARRISON B. RILEY

December 7, 1922:

At the invitation of MR. THOMAS E. WILSON, the Club was entertained at dinner at the Saddle and Sirloin Club and later attended the Live Stock Exposition.

December 14, 1922:

The International Position of Russia Today

PROFESSOR ARCHIBALD CARY COOLIDGE of Harvard University

January 25, 1923:

Closed meeting at The Chicago Club

February 15, 1923:

The State Department and Its Service to the Public

HONORABLE WILLIAM PHILLIPS, Under-secretary of State of
the United States

April 5, 1923:

Closed meeting at The Chicago Club

April 30, 1923:

Currency and World Prices

MR. FREDERICK C. GOODENOUGH, Chairman of Barclays
Bank, Ltd., London, England

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Chicago
Golf Club, Wheaton, and the honors were won by:

Championship Trophy, R. DOUGLAS STUART

President's Cup, DAVID ALLEN NOYES

First Flight, FRANK H. WARREN

Second Flight, JOSEPH C. BELDEN

Third Flight, ARTHUR REYNOLDS

Foursome Event, BENJAMIN H. MARSHALL

CHARLES K. FOSTER

DONALD M. RYERSON

HARRY B. CLOW

The Nineteenth Year, 1923-1924

OFFICERS

GEORGE A. RANNEY, PRESIDENT

FREDERICK H. SCOTT, VICE-PRESIDENT

MELVIN A. TRAYLOR, TREASURER

JOSEPH C. BELDEN, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

JOHN H. HARDIN JOHN W. O'LEARY

JOSEPH T. RYERSON ELMER T. STEVENS

EDGAR J. UIHLEIN

THIS year initiated the Club into the work of the Chicago Crime Commission at its first dinner, held on November 13, 1923. The President of the Commission, Mr. Edward E. Gore, and the Managing Director, Col. Henry B. Chamberlin, were the speakers.

Seven other gatherings, two of them of a social nature, were held during the year, as follows:

November 3, 1923:

Fifty-one members of the Club attended the Football Game between the University of Chicago and the University of Illinois at Champaign, Illinois.

December 6, 1923:

The members of the Club were the guests of MR. THOMAS E. WILSON at dinner at the Saddle and Sirloin Club and later attended the International Live Stock Exposition as guests of Mr. Wilson.

December 13, 1923:

Problems Common to the United States and Canada

HONORABLE CHARLES STEWART, Minister of the Interior of the Dominion of Canada.

January 16, 1924:

The Human Future

DR. VERNON KELLOGG, Permanent Secretary of the National Research Council

February 21, 1924:

Closed meeting at The Chicago Club

March 20, 1924:

The New York State Police, Its Organization and Operation

MR. JOHN A. WARNER, Supt. Department of State Police of New York

MR. ALBERT B. MOORE, Lieutenant Inspector of the State Police of New York

April 24, 1924:

The Relation of a University to the Public

PROFESSOR CHARLES H. JUDD of the University of Chicago

It was during this regime that the interests of the Club's membership in a State Police Force for Illinois became aroused, resulting in active Committee work before the Illinois State Legislature.

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Chicago
Golf Club, Wheaton, and the honors were won by:

Championship Trophy, GEORGE W. BLOSSOM, JR.

President's Cup, PHILIP D. ARMOUR

First Flight, FRANK H. WARREN

Second Flight, F. O. HALE

Third Flight, GEORGE E. MARCY

Foursome Event, RUSH C. BUTLER

PHILIP D. ARMOUR

GEORGE W. BLOSSOM, JR.

FLOYD O. HALE

Driving Contest, HOPEWELL L. ROGERS

The Twentieth Year, 1924-1925

OFFICERS

RUSH C. BUTLER, PRESIDENT

HOWARD W. FENTON, VICE-PRESIDENT

WILLIAM MCCORMICK BLAIR, TREASURER

FRANK H. WARREN, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

JOSEPH C. BELDEN GEORGE A. RANNEY

THEODORE F. MERSELES JOSEPH T. RYERSON

R. DOUGLAS STUART

THE year that marked the Club's completion of two decades of service to Chicago's interests was a busy one, as can be seen by studying the following schedule of meetings and social events:

October 18, 1924:

Forty-seven members and guests of the Club attended the Football Game between the University of Illinois and the University of Michigan at Urbana, Illinois.

November 6, 1924:

Closed meeting at The Chicago Club. New members were introduced and reports were made by chairmen of the various committees.

December 2, 1924:

Curiosities of President Making

MR. ROBERT L. O'BRIEN, Editor of the *Boston Herald*

December 5, 1924:

At the invitation of MR. THOMAS E. WILSON, the Club was entertained at dinner at the Saddle and Sirloin Club and later attended the Live Stock Exposition.

January 29, 1925:

Mutual Interest in the Solution of the Railroad Problem

GENERAL W. W. ATTERBURY, Vice-President of the Pennsylvania Railroad System

March 19, 1925:

Different Kinds of Education

DEAN GORDON LAING, Dean of the Graduate School of Arts and Literature of the University of Chicago

April 30, 1925:

Business and Government

MR. RICHARD F. GRANT, President of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States of America

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, and the honors were won by:

Championship Trophy, R. DOUGLAS STUART

President's Cup, ARCH W. SHAW

First Flight, PHILIP D. ARMOUR

Second Flight, RALPH A. BARD

Third Flight, W. H. MANN

Foursome Event, PHILIP D. ARMOUR

WM. McCORMICK BLAIR

RUSH C. BUTLER

R. DOUGLAS STUART

Driving Contest, BENJAMIN H. MARSHALL

The Twenty-First Year, 1925-1926

OFFICERS

CHARLES K. FOSTER, PRESIDENT

JOSEPH T. RYERSON, VICE-PRESIDENT

JOHN W. O'LEARY, TREASURER

FRANK H. WARREN, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

RUSH C. BUTLER ARCH W. SHAW

CHARLES M. KITTLE R. DOUGLAS STUART

CHARLES W. SEABURY HAROLD H. SWIFT

EDGAR J. UIHLEIN

IN this year, in which it reached its majority, the Club held its one-hundredth meeting. It was held on January 28, 1926. The evening was given over to a general review of the Club's history, recited by its former Presidents.

Five other gatherings were held during the year:

October 22, 1925:

Street Traffic in Chicago MR. ELMER STEVENS
Closed meeting at The Chicago Club

October 24, 1925:

Forty-eight members and guests of the Club attended the Football Game between the University of Illinois and the University of Michigan, at Urbana, Illinois.

December 3, 1925:

At the invitation of MR. THOMAS E. WILSON, the Club was entertained at dinner at the Saddle and Sirloin Club and later attended the Live Stock Exposition.

March 25, 1926:

Various Terminal Proposals with Their Relations to the Chicago Plan

MR. EDWARD J. NOONAN

MR. WILLIAM ARTINGSTOLL

Closed meeting at The Chicago Club

May 6, 1926:

Twenty-first Annual Meeting

Federal Reserve Operations

MR. PIERRE JAY, Chairman of the Board of Directors of The Federal Reserve Bank of New York

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Bob-O'Link Golf Club, Highland Park, and the honors were won by:

Championship Trophy, PHILIP D. ARMOUR

President's Cup, MELVIN A. TRAYLOR

First Flight, FRANK H. WARREN

Second Flight, ROBERT F. CARR

Third Flight, W. RUFUS ABBOTT

Foursome Event, RUSH C. BUTLER

R. DOUGLAS STUART

PHILIP D. ARMOUR

GEORGE W. BLOSSOM, JR.

The Twenty-Second Year, 1926-1927

OFFICERS

FREDERICK H. SCOTT, PRESIDENT

ARCH W. SHAW, VICE-PRESIDENT

JOHN W. O'LEARY, TREASURER

HAROLD C. SMITH, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

CLAUDE G. BURNHAM JAMES B. McDUGAL

CHARLES K. FOSTER CHARLES W. SEABURY

FRANK H. WARREN

DURING its twenty-second year the Club made its initial step into its third major undertaking—the financing of the survey of the Illinois Association for Criminal Justice. This came about through an address on “The Work of the Missouri Association for Criminal Justice,” by Mr. Guy A. Thompson, President of that Association, at a dinner held by the Club on December 9, 1926.

This year also marked the second joint dinner of The Industrial Club of Chicago and The Commercial Club, held on November 4, 1926. Mr. Silas H. Strawn, Past President of the Club, delivered an address on “China.”

Other meetings held during the year were:

June 9, 1926:

Closed meeting at The Chicago Club

October 30, 1926:

Thirty-eight members and guests of the Club attended the Football Game between the University of Illinois and the University of Pennsylvania, at Urbana, Illinois.

December 4, 1926:

At the invitation of MR. THOMAS E. WILSON, the Club was entertained at dinner at the Saddle and Sirloin Club and later attended the Live Stock Exposition.

January 6, 1927:

Australia

THE RIGHT HONORABLE STANLEY MELBOURNE BRUCE,
Prime Minister of Australia

January 27, 1927:

Closed meeting at The Chicago Club

March 17, 1927:

Paroles and Law Enforcement

MR. HINTON GRAVES CLABAUGH, Supervisor of Paroles and
Chairman of the Board of Pardons and Paroles of the
State of Illinois

April 28, 1927:

Twenty-second Annual Meeting

Chicago's Crime Problem

HONORABLE A. C. BACKUS, Editor of the *Milwaukee Sentinel*

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At this point it is perhaps appropriate to deviate from the running record to include a résumé of the activities of the Illinois Association for Criminal Justice, written later by Rush C. Butler. It follows:

ILLINOIS ASSOCIATION FOR CRIMINAL JUSTICE

RÉSUMÉ OF ITS ACTIVITIES

On January 27, 1927, at a closed meeting of The Industrial Club, it was decided that its members would finance the activities of the Illinois Association for Criminal Justice to the extent of \$100,000 during the period it was making a survey of conditions in the State of Illinois. More than \$100,000 has been provided for that purpose. In addition to this the Club's Committee on Jury Service, headed by its former President, Gustave F. Fischer, acted as like committee for the Illinois Association. Mr. Fischer wrote the report on the subject of Jury Service appearing in the Illinois Crime Survey published in 1929. Eighteen members of The Industrial Club served on the Board of Directors of the Illinois Association.

The report of the survey has been published and given national circulation. It is believed to be the standard work of its kind.

RUSH C. BUTLER.

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To resume: The annual Golf Tournament was held at Knollwood Club, Lake Forest, and the honors were won by:

Championship Trophy, R. DOUGLAS STUART

President's Cup, MELVIN A. TRAYLOR

First Flight, FRANK H. WARREN

Second Flight, HOWARD W. FENTON

Third Flight, THOMAS E. WILSON

Foursome Event, RUSH C. BUTLER

R. DOUGLAS STUART

PHILIP D. ARMOUR

GEORGE W. BLOSSOM, JR.

Driving Contest, PHILIP D. ARMOUR

The Twenty-Third Year, 1927-1928

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JOSEPH T. RYERSON CHARLES W. SEABURY

ELMER T. STEVENS

THE principal serious business of the Club during this year was the work of its specially appointed Committees which had in charge the survey of the Criminal Activities and Criminal Laws in the State.

The social gatherings and formal meetings of the year included:

October 27, 1927:

Illinois Association for Criminal Justice

MR. RUSH C. BUTLER

MR. ARTHUR V. LASHLEY

Closed meeting at The Chicago Club

November 12, 1927:

Twenty-nine members and guests of the Club attended the 69

Football Game between the University of Illinois and the University of Chicago at Urbana, Illinois.

December 1, 1927:

At the invitation of MR. THOMAS E. WILSON, the Club was entertained at dinner at the Saddle and Sirloin Club and later attended the Live Stock Exposition.

December 8, 1927:

An Economic Ramble

MR. CHARLES E. MITCHELL, President, National City Bank, New York

January 19, 1928:

Agriculture, A Real Problem

MR. CHARLES NAGEL of St. Louis Mo., Chairman of the Business Men's Commission on Agriculture

March 22, 1928:

Industrial Research

MR. CHARLES F. KETTERING, Vice President, General Motors Corporation

April 19, 1928:

Twenty-third Annual Meeting

Military Aviation and Its Relation to Commercial Aviation

MR. F. TRUBEE DAVIDSON, Assistant Secretary of War

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Knollwood Club, Lake Forest, and the honors were won by:

Championship Trophy, R. DOUGLAS STUART

President's Cup, PHILIP D. ARMOUR

First Flight, JOSEPH C. BELDEN

Second Flight, THOMAS S. HAMMOND

Third Flight, GUSTAVE F. FISCHER

Foursome Event, STANLEY KEITH

RUSH C. BUTLER

R. DOUGLAS STUART

PHILIP D. ARMOUR

The Twenty-Fourth Year, 1928-1929

OFFICERS

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FRED W. SARGENT

THE attention of the Club membership was pretty well engrossed during this year with the Crime situation, as evidenced by its first formal dinner of the year, held on October 23, 1928, devoted to:

“Special Grand Jury Investigation of the Crime Situation in Chicago,” Mr. Frank J. Loesch, President Chicago Crime Commission,

and, again, a joint discussion on “Crime” with The Commercial Club on November 27, 1928.

Other meetings and gatherings during the year were held as follows:

November 20, 1928:

Present Day Affairs in Cuba

HONORABLE NOBLE BRANDON JUDAH, U. S. Ambassador to
Cuba

December 6, 1928:

At the invitation of MR. THOMAS E. WILSON, the Club was entertained at dinner at the Saddle and Sirloin Club and later attended the Live Stock Exposition.

January 31, 1929:

Poland

HONORABLE CHARLES S. DEWEY, Financial Advisor to the Polish Government.

March 21, 1929:

Rail Transportation

MR. CARL R. GRAY, President, Union Pacific Railroad Company

April 18, 1929

Twenty-fourth Annual Meeting

What Industrial Research Has Done for Electrical Communications

DR. FRANK B. JEWETT, President, Bell Telephone Laboratories, Inc.

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Lake Geneva Country Club, and the honors were won by:

Championship Trophy, STANLEY KEITH

President's Cup, DONALD M. RYERSON

First Flight, THOMAS S. HAMMOND

Second Flight, RICHARD J. COLLINS

Third Flight, JOHN S. BROEKSIT

Foursome Event, STANLEY KEITH

DONALD M. RYERSON

PHILIP D. ARMOUR

WILLIAM McCORMICK BLAIR

Driving Contest, JOHN STUART

The Twenty-Fifth Year, 1929-1930

OFFICERS

W. MCCORMICK BLAIR, PRESIDENT

CHARLES WARD SEABURY, VICE-PRESIDENT

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PHILIP W. MOORE ELMER T. STEVENS

CHARLES JOHN WHIPPLE

IN the year the Club rounded out its first quarter century, it held its third joint dinner with The Commercial Club, thus still further cementing the friendship and merging the interests of these two organizations which were destined actually to merge very shortly, as their kinship became more and more apparent.

The program of formal meetings and social gatherings for this year was as follows:

October 21, 1929:

The New Ireland

HONORABLE DESMOND FITZGERALD, Minister for the Defense,
Irish Free State

December 5, 1929:

At the invitation of MR. THOMAS E. WILSON, the Club was entertained at dinner at the Saddle and Sirloin Club and later attended the Live Stock Exposition.

December 19, 1929:

Bank for International Settlements

MR. MELVIN A. TRAYLOR

Joint Open Meeting with The Commercial Club at the Drake Hotel

January 23, 1930:

Modern Tendencies and the Problems of Industry

MR. DAVID SARNOFF, President, Radio Corporation of America

March 20, 1930:

General Discussion

Crime

COLONEL ROBERT ISHAM RANDOLPH

MR. ELMER T. STEVENS

MR. C. WAYLAND BROOKS

Closed Meeting at The Chicago Club

May 15, 1930:

The Transfer Problem and Its Importance to the United States

MR. IVAR KREUGER, Managing Director of The Swedish Match Company, Stockholm, Sweden

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Flossmoor Country Club, Flossmoor, Illinois, and the honors were won by:

Championship Trophy, PHILIP D. ARMOUR

President's Cup, MERLE JAY TREES

First Flight, FRANK H. WARREN

Second Flight, MELVIN A. TRAYLOR

Third Flight, JOHN H. WOOD

Foursome Event, THOMAS S. HAMMOND

DAVID A. CRAWFORD

RALPH A. BARD

MERLE J. TREES

The Twenty-Sixth Year, 1930-1931

OFFICERS

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JOHN S. BROEKSMIT, TREASURER

GEORGE W. BLOSSOM, JR., SECRETARY

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DAVID A. CRAWFORD BYRON S. HARVEY

GUSTAVUS F. SWIFT

DURING this year joint meetings with The Commercial Club became the rule rather than the exception, as will be seen from the schedule of meetings for the year:

October 10, 1930:

The Significance of a State University

DR. HARRY W. CHASE, President, University of Illinois
Joint Open Meeting with The Commercial Club at the Blackstone Hotel

November 4, 1930:

The Financial and Economic Situation in Germany

DR. HJALMAR SCHACHT
Joint Open Meeting with The Commercial Club at the Blackstone Hotel

November 21, 1930:

The Bank for International Settlements and Stabilization

SIR CHARLES ADDIS, Director of the Bank of England

Joint Open Meeting with The Commercial Club at the Palmer House

December 4, 1930:

At the invitation of MR. THOMAS E. WILSON, the Club was entertained at dinner at the Saddle and Sirloin Club and later attended the Live Stock Exposition.

December 16, 1930:

General Discussion

Crime

COLONEL CHARLES EDWARDS, Former Chief of Police of Kansas City, Missouri

COLONEL ROBERT ISHAM RANDOLPH, President, Chicago Association of Commerce

Joint Closed Meeting with The Commercial Club at The Chicago Club

March 18, 1931:

Proposed Solution of the Prohibition Problem

COLONEL HENRY W. ANDERSON, of Richmond, Virginia

Open Meeting at the Stevens Hotel

May 28, 1931:

Some of the Problems of a United States District Attorney

HON. GEORGE E. Q. JOHNSON, United States District Attorney
Closed Meeting of the Club

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Glen View Club, Golf, Illinois, and the honors were won by:

Championship Trophy, GEORGE W. BLOSSOM, JR.

President's Cup, DEFOREST HULBURD

First Flight, FRANK H. WARREN

Second Flight, HORACE W. ARMSTRONG

Third Flight, GEORGE P. RINN

Foursome Event, DAVID A. CRAWFORD

MERLE J. TREES

RALPH A. BARD

THOMAS S. HAMMOND

Driving Contest, DAVID A. CRAWFORD

The Twenty-Seventh Year, 1931-1932

OFFICERS

CHARLES WARD SEABURY, PRESIDENT

R. DOUGLAS STUART, VICE-PRESIDENT

JAMES B. FORGAN, JR., TREASURER

RAWLEIGH WARNER, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

LAIRD BELL STERLING MORTON

JOHN A. HOLABIRD DONALD RYERSON

ELMER T. STEVENS

THE natural affinity of The Industrial Club of Chicago and The Commercial Club was becoming increasingly apparent with each passing year, as more and more joint meetings were arranged, and it was only a matter of time when the two organizations would join forces and create a single strong club.

October 7, 1931:

Emergency Relief Campaign

MR. EDWARD L. RYERSON, JR.

MR. SAMUEL INSULL, JR.

MR. ROBERT M. HUTCHINS

Joint Closed Luncheon Meeting with The Commercial Club,
at The Chicago Club

November 24, 1931:

Mayor's Advisory Committee

MAYOR ANTON CERMAK

MR. SEWELL AVERY

Closed Meeting, with The Commercial Club members as guests

December 3, 1931:

At the invitation of MR. THOMAS E. WILSON, the Club was entertained at dinner at the Saddle and Sirloin Club and later attended the Live Stock Exposition.

January 25, 1932:

A Century of Progress

MR. RUFUS C. DAWES

Special Closed Luncheon Meeting, followed by personal inspection of buildings under construction by many members

April 6, 1932:

The Economic Outlook

SIR JOSIAH STAMP, President, London, Midland and Scottish Railway and Director of the Bank of England

The annual Golf Tournament was held at Shore Acres, Lake Bluff, and the honors were won by:

Championship Trophy, ROBERT A. GARDNER

President's Cup, PHILIP R. CLARKE

First Flight, JOHN STUART

Second Flight, RAWLEIGH WARNER

Third Flight, GEORGE P. RINN

Foursome Event, PHILIP R. CLARKE

DR. VERNON C. DAVID

COL. FRANK KNOX

RAWLEIGH WARNER

Driving Contest, R. DOUGLAS STUART

The Twenty-Eighth Year, 1932-1933

OFFICERS

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JAMES B. FORGAN, JR., TREASURER

RAWLEIGH WARNER, SECRETARY

DIRECTORS

LAIRD BELL

THOMAS S. HAMMOND

KENT S. CLOW

CHARLES WARD SEABURY

DONALD M. RYERSON

SHORTLY after the annual meeting, on November 17, 1932, after more than a quarter of a century of life as The Industrial Club of Chicago, the administration, feeling that the best interest of Chicago's industrial and commercial interests would be best served by pooling the interests and influence of the two organizations, brought about the merger of the Club with The Commercial Club, which had previously been merged with The Merchants Club, the original agency which set off the spark which brought it into being in 1905.

Thus this chronicle comes to a close, ringing down the curtain on one era of Chicago life and, it is hoped and

confidently expected, raising the curtain on a period of even greater usefulness to the community of the new combined organization.

List of Members

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BAKER, JAMES R.*
BALLARD, ERNEST S.^A
BARD, RALPH A.^A
BELDEN, JOSEPH C.^{HB}
BELL, LAIRD^A
BENEKE, HENRY^{HB}
BEVEN, JOHN L.^A
BILLINGS, FRANK*
BIRK, WILLIAM A.*
BLAIR, W. MCCORMICK^A
BLOOM, EDGAR SELDEN^{NR}
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BOAL, AYRES^A
BOND, WM. SCOTT^{HB}
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BUDD, BRITTON I.^{HB}
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BUTLER, RUSH C.^{HB}
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CLOW, KENT S.^A
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FOLDS, CHARLES W.*
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GARDNER, ROBERT A.^A
GARDNER, WILLIAM A.*
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KELLEY, WILLIAM V.*
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KNOX, FRANK^{HB}
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MARGY, GEORGE E.^{NR}
MASHEK, V. F.^{HB}
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McDOUGAL, ROBERT^{HB}
McROBERTS, SAMUEL^{NR}
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MILLER, DARIUS*
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PHEMISTER, DALLAS B.^A
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POOL, MARVIN B.^{HB}
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RANDOLPH, ROBERT I.^A
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RINN, GEORGE P.^{HB}
RIPLEY, ROBERT H.*
ROGERS, HOPEWELL L.^{NR}
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SEIPP, PHILIP W.*
SHAW, ARCH W.^{HB}
SHERER, ALBERT W.^A
SKINNER, EDWARD M.^{HB}
SMITH, HAROLD C.^A
STARRING, MASON B.*
STEVENS, ELMER T.^A
STEVENSON, ROBERT^A
STEWART, ROBERT W.^{HB}
STRAWN, SILAS H.^{HB}
STUART, H. L.^A
STUART, JOHN^{HB}
STUART, R. DOUGLAS^A
SUNNY, BERNARD E.^{HA}
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WILSON, OLIVER T.*
WILSON, THOMAS E.^{HB}
WINTERBOTHAM, JOHN H.*
WOOD, JOHN H.^{HB}
WOOD, GENERAL ROBERT E.^A
WOOLLEY, CLARENCE M.^{NR}
WOOSTER, CLARENCE K.*

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^{HB}—Honorary “B”
^{NR}—Non-Resident
* —Deceased

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